

THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 1, 1858
LAMARTINE ON THE RELIGION OF
REVOLUTIONARY MEN.

I know—I sigh when I think of it—that hitherto the French people have been the least religious of all the nations of Europe—Is it because the idea of God—which arises from all the evidences of nature and from the depth of reflection—being the profoundest and weightiest idea of which human intelligence is capable, and the French mind, being the most rapid, but the most superficial, lightest, the most unreflective of all European races, this mind has not the force and severity necessary to carry far and long the great conception of the human understanding not taken upon themselves to think for us, to believe for us, and pray for us? Is it because we are and have been a military people, a soldier nation, bred by kings, heroes and ambitious men, from battle field to battle field, making conquests and corrupting Europe; and bringing home the manners, vices, bravery, lightness and impiety of the camp to the fire-side of the people?

I know not, but certain it is that the nation has an immense progress to make; a serious thought if it is to be free. If we look at the character, compared as regards religious sentiments, of the great nations of Europe, America, even Asia, the advantage is not for us. The great men of our country live and die, forgetting completely the only idea for which it is worth living and dying; they live and die looking at the spectator, or at most, at posterity.

Open the history of America, the history of England, and the history of France, read the great lives, the great deaths, the martyrdoms, the great words at the hour when the ruling thought of life reveals itself in the last words of dying, and compare.

Washington and Franklin fought, spoke, suffered, and in the name of God, for whom they acted; and the liberator of America died exclaiming to God the liberty of the people and his own soul.

Sydney, the young martyr of patriotism, guilty of nothing but impatience, and who died to expiate his country's dream of liberty, said to his jailer: "I rejoice that I die innocent toward the King, but a victim resigned to the King on High, to whom all life is due."

The republicans of Cromwell only sought the way of God even in the field of battle—Their politics were their faith, their reign a prayer, their death a psalm. One hears, sees, feels that God was in all the movements of these great people.

But across the sea, traverse La Mancha, come to our times, open our annals, and listen to the last words of the great political actors of the drama of our liberty. One would think that God was cooped from the soul, that His name was unknown in the language. History will have the air of an atheist when he recounts to posterity these annihilations, rather than deaths of celebrated men in the greatest year of France!

Approach the dangerous door of the Girondins, their last night in a banquet; their only hymn, the Marseillaise!

Follow Camille Desmoulins to his execution. A cool and independent pleasure at the trial, and a long imprecation on the road to the guillotine, were the two last thoughts of this dying man on his way to the last tribunal.

Hear Danton on the platform of the scaffold, at the distance of a line from God and eternity.

"I have had a good time of it; let me go to sleep!" Then to the executioner: "You will show my head to the people—it is worth the trouble!"

His faith, annihilation; his last sigh, vanity. Behold the Frenchman of this latter age!

What must one think of the religious sentiments of a free people whose great figures seem thus to march in procession to annihilation, and to whom that terrible minister, Death itself, recalls neither the threatening nor promises of God?

The republicans of these men without a God has been quickly estranged. The liberty won by so much heroism and so much genius has not found in France a conscience to shelter it, a God to defend it, a people to defend it, against the subtlest of all enemies called Liberty. All ended in a soldier and some a poetate republicans travelled into courtiers—An atheist republicanism cannot be heroic. When you terrify it, it bends; when you would buy it, it sells itself. Who would take any heed? The people ungrateful and God non-existent. So finish atheist revolutions.

MY LIBRARY.

"Miserable is that man, in my opinion, who has no place at home where to be by himself, to entertain himself alone, or to conceal himself from others."—MONTAIGNE.

I am not, Mr. Editor, one of those miserable despondent men, the vendor of Oxygenated Bitters, who sells a cure for all their woes in a draught of that delectable nostrum; nor do I place myself in the same category with the man who that cheerful philosopher and most agreeable writer, from whose easy I have taken a motto, would pronounce "miserable."

I have, indeed, suffered much affliction, physically and mentally; but it would be an unwarrantably extravagant use of language to say that I have "drunk the very dregs of suffering." Many a bitter draught have I taken (not of oxygenated bitters), and have found warm water and salt at the bottom of the cup; but I am not quite prepared to say that there may not be some dregs still in reserve to try my faculty of endurance.

What invariable may yet be inflicted is not for me to know until the appointed time shall arrive. In the mean while, though destitute (as Heaven knows, and you, too, know, Mr. Editor) of many "unutterable things" that make up the sum total of what the world calls happiness, I am thankful that I still call a place at home where to be by myself, where I can conceal myself from others, and that place is my library.

My collection of books is not large, but just large enough to create a wish for more. The pleasure I experience in their company is, in a good degree, a compensation for the absence of other friends. When I am in their presence the only thought that annoys me is the plausible probability that, at no very distant day, they must pass under the hammer of an auctioneer, in order to procure the means to buy the craving of waste more gross and clamorous than those of a mere intellectual nature. This appears to be such a "manifest destiny." The day when such an event may happen will be a black day in my calendar.

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in public, under the superintendence of Commis-
sioners.

Class 31, draws Saturday, September 4, 1858.
Class 32, draws Saturday, September 11, 1858.
Class 33, draws Saturday, September 18, 1858.
Class 34, draws Saturday, September 25, 1858.

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50,000 TICKETS.

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1 " 10,000 4 " 700
1 " 5,000 4 " 600
1 " 4,000 50 " 500
1 " 3,000 50 " 300
1 " 1,500 100 " 125
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APPROXIMATE PRIZES.
4 Prizes of \$400 ap to \$70,000 are \$1,600
4 Prizes of 300 ap to 30,000 are 1,200
4 Prizes of 200 ap to 10,000 are 800
4 Prizes of 100 ap to 5,000 are 400
4 Prizes of 75 ap to 3,000 are 300
4 Prizes of 50 ap to 1,500 are 200
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5,485 Prizes amounting to..... \$320,000
Whole Tickets \$10; Halves \$5; Quarters \$2.50.
A Circular showing the plan of the Lottery
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Certificates of Packages will be sold at the
following rates, which is the risk:

Certificates of Packages, 10 whole tickets, \$80.00
Do do do 10 half do 40.00
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figure they may designate.

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All prizes of \$1,000 and under, paid im-
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A list of the numbers that are drawn from
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that each one is entitled to, will be published
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Orleans, Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston
Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer,
New York Weekly Day Book, Savannah
Georgian, Richmond Dispatch, New York Dis-
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RICH SCHEME FOR SEPTEMBER,
1858.

GREGORY & MAURY, Managers,
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE.

To be drawn under the Superintendence of Commis-
sioners appointed by the Governor.

37,000 DOLLARS!
LOTTERY for the benefit of the State of
Delaware, Class 195, for 1858, to be drawn
at Wilmington, Delaware, on SATURDAY,
September 4th, 1858.

75 number Lottery—12 drawn ballots.

RICH SCHEME.
1 prize of \$37,000 1 prize of \$2,782
1 prize of 15,000 1 prize of 2,000
1 prize of 10,000 1 prize of 1,000
1 prize of 5,000 75 prizes of 500
1 prize of 3,500 163 prizes of 200
1 prize of 3,500 163 prizes of 200

Tickets \$10—Halves \$5—Quarters \$2.50.
Certificates of Package 25 Whole \$140.00
Do do 25 Halves 70.00
Do do 25 Quarters 35.00

35,000 DOLLARS!
LOTTERY for the benefit of the State of
Delaware, Class 201, for 1858, to be drawn
at Wilmington, Delaware, on SATURDAY,
September 11th, 1858.

75 number Lottery—12 drawn ballots.

BRILLIANT SCHEME.
1 prize of \$35,000 1 prize of \$4,000
1 prize of 15,000 1 prize of 3,000
1 prize of 10,000 1 prize of 2,000
1 prize of 5,000 50 prizes of 1,000
1 prize of 3,500 111 prizes of 500
1 prize of 3,500 111 prizes of 500

Tickets \$10; Halves \$5; Quarters \$2.50.
Certificates of package 25 whole tickets \$140.00
Do do 25 half do 70.00
Do do 25 quarter do 35.00

50,000 DOLLARS!
LOTTERY for the benefit of the State of
Delaware, Class 202, for 1858, to be drawn
at Wilmington, Delaware, on SATURDAY,
September 18th, 1858.

75 number Lottery—12 drawn ballots.

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME.
1 grand prize of \$50,000 2 prizes of 4,000
1 prize of 20,000 10 prizes of 2,000
2 prizes of 10,000 200 prizes of 1,000
2 prizes of 5,000 66 prizes of 500
2 prizes of 3,000 66 prizes of 200
2 prizes of 2,000 66 prizes of 100
2 prizes of 1,000 66 prizes of 50
2 prizes of 500 66 prizes of 25
2 prizes of 250 66 prizes of 12.50

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Certificates of package 25 whole tickets \$220.00
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Do do 25 quarter do 55.00
Do do 25 eighth do 27.50

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